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There will be a cricket match between the 'St. Joseph's' Cricket Club and the 'Graigow' Cricket Club to-morrow (Saturday) at the Happy Valley, commencing at 2.15 p.m. sharp.

The Marine Insurance Co., Ltd., of which Mr. H. A. Riche is the local agent, have issued a compact blotting-pad and calendar for 1897. On the outside covers there is a pretty illustration of one of the large P. and O. steamers, and also a view of Bougainville.

The following are the teams in a match between a Club XI. and a Garrison XI. to-morrow, beginning at 11 a.m. sharp.—Club—J. M. Atkinson (Capt.), W. M. Mounsey, G. Grimble, R. F. Lamont, F. H. Kew, L. S. Crawford, G. M. T. Thomson, J. S. Keziel, A. MacKenzie, T. Hooper and H. C. Rawson, R. N. Garrison—Capt., Langhorne, A. R. Green, C. N. Buzzard, P. G. Davies, R.A., P. G. Anderson, H.K.R., W. M. Thompson, R.E.; Capt. Loveland, A.D.C., O. Ryall, E. Leckie, M. H. Logan, L. Gordon, West Yorks.

The Memorandum of the Unofficial Members, in which they enter a protest against the decision of the Secretary of State on this matter, is, we think, a business-like document. There is, indeed, much less of Saxon plain-speaking in it than might have been expected; in view of the cavalier, Georgian spirit conveyed in Mr. Chamberlain's despatch. We think the Unofficial Members have put their united fingers upon the blot of the Colonial Office policy in this matter; and the Unofficial Members deserve the thanks of the community for doing their duty in this connection. Let us hope they will continue to work together in other questions of policy.

On Thursday a daring robbery took place just outside the Settlement of Shanghai, about a mile and a half north of Sinsa. Three native postmen carrying letters, money and money orders from Liu Ho and Lo Tien were attacked by a gang of some twenty ruffians, who shot them and robbed them of over \$500; one of the postmen was killed and another was wounded. The disturbance attracted a number of people, who secured one of the robbers, and handed him over to the *tiao*, who detained him in his own house. The same night his comrades attempted to rescue him, but were beaten off by the people. The case has been reported to the city authorities.—*China Gazette*.

Elsie Adair comes to Hongkong after a very successful tour in the North where she has received lavish praise both from the press and the public. It is unnecessary to say much in introducing the fair dancer and her clever company to a Hongkong audience. On her last visit to the colony she left a lasting impression, and seeing that her stay in the colony will only allow of her giving one performance it would be well for those intending to be present to secure their seats early. Miss Adair has a marvellous amount of dances of her own invention, and her wardrobe is superb. One of her gowns is sixty yards around and another is 122 yards. These gowns are of course made up of very fine silk, which is truly gossamer in fineness. She is supported by a talented company on her second tour round the world, including Madame Jardin, who comes with the reputation of having a charming soprano voice.

Walter Vanderlip, Mr. Ernest, a trick violinist; but to fully understand what Miss Adair's dancing is like we must give the advice of one of our Northern contemporaries to those who have not seen her, and that is "they must see for themselves to-morrow night."

The Coroner's inquest is one of the principal safeguards to life in the dependencies of Great Britain, and this truth must have been forcibly impressed upon the minds of our readers during the last two or three weeks. No administration can be firmly planted or satisfactorily maintained unless the sacredness of life is held in the highest respect. The prolonged and exhaustive examination into the facts of the death of Wong Ting, pupil at the Diocesan School, shows that our authorities are sufficiently alive to the calls of good government in this particular. Our readers have doubtless followed the evidence, and will be able to form their own opinion upon it. Most people, we fancy, will incline to approve the verdict given, because no evidence appeared to show that any master of the school had struck down on the head, and certainly the evidence of the Third Master (Mr. Ralph) appears to have been as straightforward as that of any decent man could have been. It might be said that a verdict of *mediolethal death* would have been sufficient of that an open verdict of death from natural causes would have met the case. On technical grounds it might be advanced that there was not sufficient evidence to justify the statement that death resulted from a fall. But we think the jury were guided rightly in the course they adopted of practically deciding upon the clear direction of the inference that Mr. Ralph had committed a wilful act of the law. After a long and painful minute's inquiry, this decision will be looked upon as satisfactory.

FOOTBALL.

CLUB & CO. vs.

Play began about 5 o'clock on ground rendered very treacherous by rain. The Club started with only 8 men. Some ten minutes of give-and-take play followed, and then the game settled down in the Colts' half till half-time. Pinckney and Hornby sent back everything, and the Club scored once out of numerous openings, the ground making play well nigh useless. At half-time the Club took in another man and the game went on to the Colts' half, where, save for offside play and an occasional wing kick, the ball remained. The hard work of the first half told heavily on the Club's forwards, but they eventually added one more to the score. A muddle as to a doubtful corner gave the Colts a chance to put in a doubtful goal just before time. The game finished in the dark, ending in a win for the Club by 2 goals to 1.

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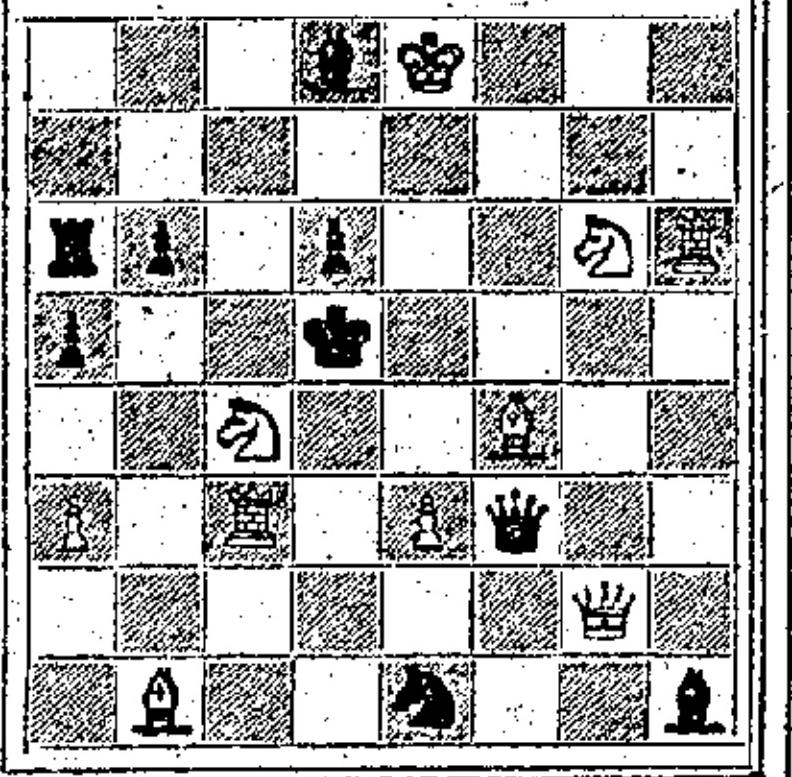
Original Problems should be accompanied by full analysis.

The Hunging Chess Club meets every Monday, Thursday and Friday from 5 till half past seven p.m. at Thomas's Grill Room.

Problem No. 13.

By Mrs. W. J. BAIRD.

Black (8 pieces).



White to play and mate in two moves. Solution to Problem No. 17 by J. Pospisil. Q-B sq 1. R-Q 2 — 2-Kt 7 Then if ... 1. R x R 2. Kt-B 6 1. R x Kt 2. R-Kt 5 1. R elsewhere 2. Kt mates 1. K x Kt 2. Q-Kt 8 1. K-Q 3 2. Kt-Kt 7 1. Any other 2. R x R.

Correct Solutions from E. Myer, I. A. L., A. E. da Silva, M. J. D., Black Knight.

Correct Solutions to No. 16 from T. H. R. and T. C. (Kobe.)

E. MYER—Your solution to No. 18, was correct and should have been acknowledged last week.

HONGKONG, November 24.—The Chess Club is hard at work again and the room is occupied by eager players three nights a week, but yet there is room for more. The latest results I have received from Budapest are given in the subjoined table:—

Won. Lost. Drawn. Total.

Pillebury 5 2 3 8

Tschigorin 5 3 2 8

Charousek 6 3 0 8

Janowitsch 4 3 2 7

Wallrodt 4 3 1 6

Manco 4 3 1 6

Schleicher 2 2 4 4

Taschach 3 4 2 5

Marcos 2 4 2 3

Popoff 1 8 0 1

Noe 0 6 1 7

The complete score may be expected by next week.

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The next contest arranged is to be on Monday, December 7th, under similar conditions.

Married v. Single.—The Evans Gambit tournament is now completed. Mr. Pollock playing Mr. Souza won two and drew one game. On the whole the attack had the best of it, a result which would probably have been reversed if the men generally had possessed a fuller knowledge of the gambit and its real weakness.

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Many happy returns of the day to Carl A. Walbrett, who will be twenty-five years old to-morrow having been born at Amsterdam (thought of pure German descent) on the 25th November 1871. Young as he is, he has already a magnificent record. In 1891 he beat Schallop by 5 to 3, and drew a match with Scheve. In 1892 he beat Bardilev by 4 to 0, with four draws and divided fourth and fifth prizes at Dresden. In 1893 he beat Dolman by 5 to 3. In 1894 he tied for the fourth prize at Leipizg. In 1895 he won 8 and drew 8 and 7 games at Hastings, drawing with Pillebury and Tschigorin. At Nuremberg in 1896 he divided the 6th prize, beating Illius, Tschigorin, Albin, Shawkey, and Wissner. Schallop and Wissner. At Dundee he was defeated by Janowitsch, Wissner, and Popoff, drawing with Marco, losing to Matanov, Pillebury, and Tschigorin, and has still to meet Albin, Charousek, Schleicher, and Tarnow.

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"As a boy at home he became famous at his favourite pastime, but did not try conclusions with the first rates till he was eighteen or nineteen years of age, when, joining the chess club, he won the first prize in the tournament without a loss, and thus tried a match with Schallop, whom he lost the first three games, drew the next, and then won five and the match thus jumping into fame literally with one bound and only one preliminary hop." His leading players and others in a tournament at approximately 18 years of age is a fact to be noted and ever remembered. His handwriting is peculiar and the scores that he has written in his books are very expressive and have a decided *flair*. His playing style is bold and impulsive, and his games are hopelessly confused.

He has played and strong, taking immediate advantage of Black's last move.

His attacking power is great, and the scores that he has written in his books are very expressive and have a decided *flair*.

He has a great fondness for the attack with vigorous and rapid strokes.

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